

AGENDA
Intellectual Property in the VA: Changes, Challenges & Collaborations
Sponsored By
Office of Research and Development Technology Transfer Program
& Rehabilitation Research and Development Service

Wednesday Night
April 11, 2001

Participants Arrival

6:00p – 9:00p Registration/Exhibit & Poster Set up

CONVENTION REGISTRATION

Thursday
April 12, 2001

7:30a – 8:30a Continental Breakfast

ASSEMBLY AREA

8:30a – 9:00a Welcoming Remarks

SALON IV, V & VI

Secretary of Veterans Affairs

The Honorable Anthony J. Principi

Deputy Under Secretary for Health

Frances M. Murphy, M.D., M.P.H.

Chief Research and Development Officer

John R. Feussner, M.D., M.P.H.

General Counsel

Tim S. McClain, J.D.

Director, Rehabilitation Research and Development Service

Mindy L. Aisen, M.D.

9:00a – 10:00a Plenary Session: Successful VA /Affiliate Intellectual Property Partnerships
SALON IV, V & VI Howard Bremer, Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation (WARF)
Carla Fishman, Tulane University
Philip C. Comp, M.D., Ph.D., ACOS/R&D, VA Oklahoma City
Mindy L. Aisen, M.D., Director, Technology Transfer Program
Amy Centanni, J.D., Professional Staff Group IV, General Counsel

10:00a - 10:15a Break

ASSEMBLY AREA

10:15a – 11:00a SALON IV, V & VI	Plenary Session: Federal Inventions and Technology Transfer John Raubitschek, J.D., Patent Counsel, Department of Commerce
11:00a – Noon SALON II SALON I SALON III	View Posters Attorney's Private Meeting View Exhibits
Noon - 1:20p SALON F - K	Lunch
1:30p – 3:00p SALON IV, V & VI	Plenary Session: VA Inventions and Technology Transfer-Part I John Klein, J.D., Assistant General Counsel Amy Centanni, J.D., Professional Staff Group IV Lorrie Johnson, J.D., Deputy Assistant General Counsel
3:00p – 3:30p ASSEMBLY AREA	Break
3:30p – 5:00p SALON IV, V & VI	Plenary Session: Intellectual Property Management (patenting, obtaining capital, marketing) in the Private Sector Bonnie Davis, M.D., Endocrinologist, Clinical Researcher, Inventor Don Friedkin, CEO and Advisory, Pharmaceutical Industry James P. Leyda, Ph.D., President, Emerging Concepts
5:00p – 6:00p SALON I & II SALON III	View Posters View Exhibits
7:00p SALON F - K	Buffet Dinner Keynote Speaker • Duncan Moore, Professor of Optical Engineering, University of Rochester

Friday
April 13, 2001

7:00a – 8:00a ASSEMBLY AREA	Continental Breakfast
SALON II	View Posters
SALON III	View Exhibits
8:00a – 9:00a	Plenary Session: From Idea to Product/Partnership-Lessons Learned

Tracee Joltes, NTTC Vice President Training

Larry Kelbaugh, NTTC Manager Instructional Design & Development

SALON IV, V & VI

9:00a – 10:00a

Plenary Session: VA Inventions and Technology Transfer-Part II

John Klein, J.D., Assistant General Counsel

Amy Centanni, J.D., Professional Staff Group IV

Lorrie Johnson, J.D., Deputy Assistant General Counsel

Angela Prudhomme, J.D., Professional Staff Group III

10:00a-10:30am

Break

ASSEMBLY AREA

10:30a – 11:30a

Town Hall Meeting/Presentation of Magnuson Award/PECASE Recognition

SALON IV, V & VI

11:30a - 12:30p

LUNCH

SALON F - K

12:30p – 1:00p

Reviews and Final Thoughts

SALON F-K

1:00p

Meeting Adjourns